# SECTION 4 FISCAL YEAR CREDIT ENROLLMENT

#### Average Credit Hours Per Student

Fiscal Year	Hours
2003	14.86
2004	14.93
2005	14.82
2006	14.63
2007	14.53

Source: Iowa Department of Education, Bureau of Community Colleges and Career and Technical Education.

- Total unduplicated headcount enrollment for Fiscal Year 2007 totalled 125,990, a 3.48% increase over Fiscal Year 2006.
- Students may enroll in credit classes for a variety of reasons including personal enrichment, upgrading job-related skills, and/or earning a degree, diploma or certificate.
- Year-end credit unduplicated headcount enrollments have increased 14,245 students (12.75%) from Fiscal Year 2003 to Fiscal Year 2007. The rate of annual growth steadily declined from 5.70% to 1.28% from Fiscal Year 2003 to Fiscal Year 2006, but rose to 3.48% in Fiscal Year 2007.
- As the text box to the left indicates, the average credit hours per student decreased from 14.86 to 14.53 from Fiscal Year 2003 to Fiscal Year 2007.
- Arts and Science enrollments as a portion of total enrollment have decreased slightly from 60.72% in Fiscal Year 2003 to 60.05% in Fiscal Year 2007 (Table 4).

Table 3

### CREDIT ENROLLMENT AND CREDIT HOURS FISCAL YEAR 2003 TO FISCAL YEAR 2007

	Credit (Unduplic	Credit	Hours	
Fiscal Year	Headcount	Percent Change*	Hours	Percent Change*
2003	111,745	5.70%	1,660,544	6.75%
2004	116,439	4.20	1,737,909	4.66
2005	120,217	3.24	1,782,189	2.55
2006	121,753	1.28	1,781,027	-0.07
2007	125,990	3.48	1,831,161	2.81

Source: Iowa Department of Education, Bureau of Community Colleges and Career and Technical Education.

Note: \*Fiscal Year 2002 Credit Enrollment totaled 105.719; Credit Hours totaled 1,555,612.

#### **Credit Enrollment by Program Major**

Credit enrollment continued its growth, with the most significant growth from Fiscal Year 2003 to Fiscal Year 2007 in Career and Technical programs (18.77%). Arts and Sciences program enrollment increased 3,190 (4.40%) from Fiscal Year 2006 to Fiscal Year 2007. Career Option programs increased 620 (9.85%) from Fiscal Year 2006 to Fiscal Year 2007. Career and Technical enrollment increased 344 (0.86%) over the same period. Combination of program types increased 83 (3.00%) during that time.

Table 4

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		Science nly		reer Option Career Technical Only Only			Combi		
Fiscal Year	r N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Total
2003	67,850	60.72%	5,885	5.27%	34,162	30.57%	3,848	3.44%	111,745
2004	69,033	59.29	6,138	5.27	37,143	31.90	4,125	3.54	116,439
2005	71,588	59.55	6,362	5.29	38,004	31.61	4,263	3.55	120,217
2006	72,465	59.52	6,293	5.17	40,230	33.04	2,765	2.27	121,753
2007	75,655	60.05	6,913	5.49	40,574	32.20	2,848	2.26	125,990

Source: Iowa Department of Education, Bureau of Community Colleges and Career and Technical Education.

### **Career and Technical Education Program Majors**

The Health program major is the largest career and technical education (CTE) program (Career & Technical and College Parallel- Career Option), making up 18,222 (35.63%) of CTE program majors in Fiscal Year 2007. Industrial Technology is second with 13,682 (26.76%) and Business rounds out the top three with 12,671 (24.78%) in Fiscal Year 2007 (Table 5 and Figure 3).

Table 5

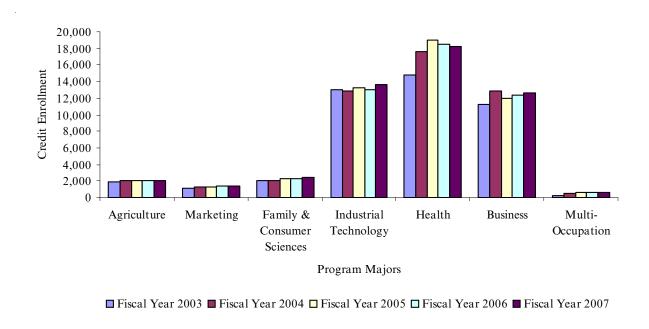
### CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION PROGRAM MAJORS FISCAL YEAR 2003 TO FISCAL YEAR 2007

Credit	2003 2004			Fiscal	Year 005	20	2006		2007	
Program Majors	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Agriculture	1,852	4.18%	2,027	4.13%	2,043	4.05%	2,042	4.07%	2,055	4.02%
Marketing	1,204	2.72	1,273	2.59	1,259	2.50	1,345	2.68	1,436	2.81
Family & Consumer										
Sciences	2,015	4.55	2,016	4.11	2,294	4.55	2,336	4.65	2,420	4.73
Industrial Technology	12,942	29.20	12,834	26.14	13,266	26.30	13,014	25.92	13,682	26.76
Health	14,832	33.46	17,526	35.70	18,941	37.56	18,530	36.91	18,222	35.63
Business	11,232	25.34	12,892	26.26	12,015	23.82	12,330	24.56	12,671	24.78
Multi-Occupation	252	0.57	531	1.08	614	1.22	608	1.21	650	1.27

Source: Iowa Department of Education, Bureau of Community Colleges and Career and Technical Education.

Notes: N = Number of Students, % = Percentage of Total Students may be in more than one program major.

## CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION PROGRAM MAJORS FISCAL YEAR 2003 TO FISCAL YEAR 2007



Source: Iowa Department of Education, Bureau of Community Colleges and Career and Technical Education.

Note: Students may be in more than one program major.